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For:	NUCLEOSIDES OR NUCLEOTIDES HAVING NOVEL UNNATURAL BASES AND USE THEREOF		

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response and Raw Sequence Listing Error Report, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This Reply includes:

- Amendments** to the Sequence Listing begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.
- An **Appendix** including the paper and CRF disk copy of the Sequence Listing is attached following page 3 of this paper.